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Response Under 37 CFR § 1.116  
Expedited Procedure - Group 2194

In re Application No. 09/988,446

STEPHEN EDWARD ECOB et al.

Application No.: 09/988,446

Filed: November 20, 2001

For: PERIPHERAL DRIVER FORWARD  
COMPATIBILITY

Docket No.

00169.002224.

Examiner: L. Truong

Group Art Unit: 2194

Date: Monday, August 29, 2005

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THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final Rejection in the above-identified application.

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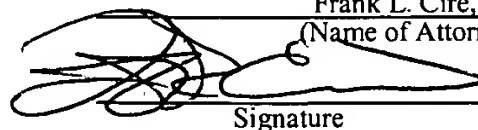
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INDEP. CLAIMS	* 6	MINUS	*** 6	= 0	x \$100 \$200	0
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						-0-

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☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, CA office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

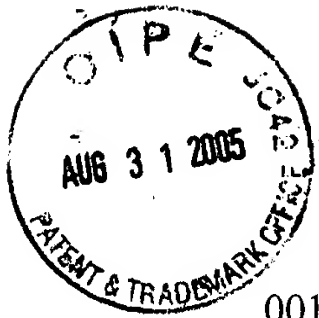


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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 27, 2005, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

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